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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Nigam, et al.
Serial No. : 09/595,195
Filed : June 16, 2000
Title : EX-VIVO PROPAGATION OF KIDNEY

Art Unit : 1651
Examiner : Ruth A. Davis

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND PETITION FOR AUTOMATIC EXTENSION

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Applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for a 2 month extension of time.

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TOTAL FEE DUE

\$219

A check for \$219 is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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